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Sir:

This is a request for a Certificate of Correction of U.S. Patent No. 6,938,879, issued September 6, 2005.

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## REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Upon proofreading of the patent grant, the following errors were noted and correction is requested:

## In the Claims

- Column 8, lines 13 and 14, Claim 20 should read as follows:
  - 20. A seal according to claim 19, wherein said raised surface portion extends around said perimeter mounting surface.

There were no amendments made to Claim 20 during prosecution of the application. Claim 20 should appear in the patent as filed in the application.

Issuance of a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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